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Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find the Building 771 Closure Project *Decommissioning Operations Plan* (DOP) *Modification 3* and *Proposed Action Memorandum* (PAM) for Under Building Contamination (UBC) Remediation dated October 31, 2000, for the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) review and approval. In accordance with paragraph 107 of the Rocky Flats Cleanup Agreement (RFCA), this Predecisional Draft for Public Comment DOP/PAM is being provided for your 14-day review prior to being released for public comment. This DOP/PAM applies to decommissioning actions for the Building 771 Closure Project and addresses the UBC associated with Building 770, 771, 771C, and 774, and process waste lines beneath these buildings. Remediation of individual hazardous substance sites, potential areas of concern, and/or soil associated with these buildings, but not part of the UBC, will be addressed in another Environmental Restoration decision document. The 45-day formal public comment period for the Building 771 DOP/PAM is expected to begin 14 days from the date of this letter.

This DOP/PAM is also being submitted to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for review and comment in accordance with paragraph 72 of the RFCA. Under paragraph 72, the EPA should provide comments to the CDPHE. The CDPHE should provide a single set of consolidated comments to the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) in accordance with paragraph 112 of the RFCA.

This DOP/PAM was developed in consultation with the CDPHE and was based on the requirements of the Decommissioning Program Plan. It was informally issued as a Draft on September 13, 2000, to CDPHE and to the stakeholders at the decommissioning status meeting on September 26, 2000.

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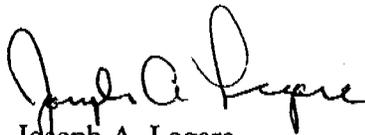
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If you have any questions regarding this, please contact me at (303) 966-5918 or Joe Springer at (303) 966-4076.

Sincerely,



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